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We are auditing the partnership taxable year so it does not matter if a second return changes the reported numbers. To be valid the FPAA only needs to make a final determination of the amount and allocation of partnership items - we only need to be clear in the FPAA as to which starting numbers the adjustments are being made from. But it should not make a difference which numbers we start with since in both cases we are going to arrive at a bottom line number regardless of what number the partnership starts with.